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Vienna, June 29.

Yesterday arrived here Count *Oxenstjerne*, Ambassador Extraordinary from the King of *Sweden*; he will repose himself some days here, and then continue his Journey to *Neustadt*, where the Emperor now is, and intends to continue, during the Dyet at *Oedenburg*. Count *Esterhazy*, Palatine of *Hungary*, came from thence to *Neustadt* three or four days since, to give the Emperor an account of the Proceedings of the Dyet, and to receive his Imperial Majesties final Directions concerning the Answer that is to be returned to the Letter that came lately from Count *Teckelej*; and we are informed, that the Emperors Answer to the three Heads which were proposed in the said Letter, is the same we have already told you; to which the Palatine is to add an Exhortation to Count *Teckelej*, and the others that Signed that Letter, to send Deputies to the Dyet, fully instructed, to represent their Grievances, and what they desire should be done for the removing them; with an assurance that they shall find the Emperor, and the Dyet in a disposition to give them all reasonable satisfaction, that so an end may at last be put to the Miseries and Devastations of a Civil War; and if this have no effect, his Imperial Majesty will have recourse to his Arms, having ordered several Regiments to be in readiness to march into *Hungary*.

Strasburg, July 4. The preparations of the French in these parts, make us believe they have some great Design in hand; we still suspect it is upon this City, or at least upon the Fort of *Kiel*, which guards our Bridge over the *Rhine*; and therefore the Regiment of *Souches* is come to *Offenburg*, and several other Imperial Regiments are moving this way, in order to their having an eye upon the motions of the French.

Piermont in *Westphalia*, July 7. The 26th of the last Month the Elector of *Brandenburg*, with his whole Court arrived at *Lude*, about a mile from this place. Since, the Queen-Mother of *Denmark*, Prince *George* her Son, the Electores Palatine, the Dukes and Dutcheises of *Zell* and *Hanover* are come hither; and three days since the Landgravine Dowager of *Hesse*, Sister to the Elector of *Brandenburg* arrived at *Lude*, where his Electoral Highness will continue till the 11th or 12th Instant; there have not as yet passed any Visits between his Electoral Highness and the Courts that are here, because of his being very much indisposed with the Gout.

Cologne, July 8. We have Letters from *Metz* which say, that a great many Cannon were brought thither from *Verdun* and other places, for the service of *Saar-Louis*, and those other places which they are now fortifying; and that the Marquis de *Beaufiers* had received Orders to march with the Troops that are quartered on the *Saar* towards the Palatinate, and to quarter them in the Baillage of *Al-*

zey, where they are to live at discretion, till *Creutznach* and *Frankendal*, which the French lay claim to as Dependencies, be put into their hands.

Hague, July 15. The Heer *Uiters* is returned for *England* with Orders to acquaint His Majesty with the Sentiments and Resolutions of this State, upon the late Proceedings of the French in the Province of *Luxemburg*. To Morrow the States of *Holland* meet. From *Strasburg* they write, that the Imperialists had reinforced the Garrison of *Rhinfeldt* with 300 Men.

Brussels, July 15. The Prince of *Parma* is expected back here on Saturday next from *Antwerp*, where he is endeavouring to settle the publick Revenues. Don *Balthazar de Fuen Mayor*, who was dispatched the last week by his Highness to the *Hague*, returned again on Saturday night, having obtained very ample and positive Orders from the States-General to their Ambassador at *Paris* to joyn with Mr. *Savile*, the King of *Englands* Minister at that Court, in the Representations he is ordered to make to the French King and his Ministers, concerning the Proceedings against the *Spanish-Netherlands*, and particularly the Province of *Luxemburg*, on account of Dependencies. These Instructions were sent to the said Dutch Ambassador by an Express that past by here on Sunday Morning. In the meantime as we told you in our last, the Prince of *Parma* has sent Orders to the Governor of *Luxemburg* to resist the French with Force if they Attack *Chenay*.

Brussels, July 18 The Prince of *Parma* is expected here to morrow from *Antwerp* (to be present at the Procession of the Sacrament on Sunday) whether he returns again on Monday or Tuesday. The French Troops are entred into the Countrey of *Luxemburg*, but we do not yet hear that they have committed any hostilities. From *Dunkirk* we have an Account that the Embargo which was laid upon the Spanish Ships in that Port, is taken off again.

Windsor, July 10. The following Address from *Brecon*, being Signed by 2700 Hands, was presented to His Majesty on Thursday last by Captain *Edward Gam*, and *Thomas Walker*, Esq; and was received by His Majesty with His wonted Grace and Goodness; who were Introduced by the Right Honorable, *Henry* Lord Marquis of *Worcester*, Lord-Lieutenant of that County.

To the Kings most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE Your Majesties most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects of the County of *Brecon*, do in the greatest joy of our Souls, pay our most humble and hearty Thanks to Your Majesty, for Your late Gracious and most seasonable Declaration, which hath confirmed the hearts of all Your Loyal Subjects, and reduced a great many to a conscientious sense of their Duty and Obedience, who had been seduced by the subtilty of the Papists, or the fly insinuations of the Fanatick Separatists, into a distrust of Your Majesties Pious Practice, and now Gracious Declaration of Governing us by our known Laws, and preserving the Protestant Religion, as 'tis now established by Law. And we esteem this Your Majesties most convincing Declaration to be a Demonstration of Gods Providence, and an argument of its continuance to Your